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Our Case No.10022/246-1  
Accenture I.D. 00019-00/US

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )

George V. Guyan et al. )

Serial No. 09/305,331 )

Filing Date: May 4, 1999 )

For: METHOD AND ARTICLE OF )  
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**SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

✓ Further in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed  
December 3, 2003, Applicants submit a new Claim Amendment section.

Please amend this application as follows: